

MR. CLEVELAND'S SECRETARY

HENRY T. THURBER, OF DETROIT, AP.

HE IS A LAWYER AND A PARTNER OF DON M.
DICKINSON—JUDGE GRESHAM'S VISIT

Lakewood, N. J., Feb. 24.—Mr. Cleveland announced this evening that his private secretary would be Henry T. Thurler, of Detroit. Mr. Thurler is a law partner of Don M. Dickinson. He is a young man, and has had no Washington experience. He is said to be a level-headed man, and to have learned diplomacy from association with Mr. Dickinson.

Judge Walter C. Gresham arrived in Lakewood at 5.30 p. m. to-day, and was driven to the Cleveland cottage. He will be Mr. Cleveland's guest until to-morrow afternoon, when he will leave here and go back to Chicago. Ex-Senator John G. Carlisle will arrive from Washington to-morrow morning, and there will be a talk over matters connected with the incoming Administration, but there will be no formal Cabinet conference.

Colonel John F. Dickinson, secretary of the World's

Columbian Exposition, and the board of the National Association, called on Mr. Cleveland for the honor and arranged for the presentation of an elaborately engraved invitation to open the World's Fair on May 1. Messrs. Smalley and Dickenson told Mr. Cleveland that they called on behalf of the Joint Committee on Ceremonies of the National Association, and the Chicago Directory of the World's Columbian Exposition, and asked him to appoint a time when the committee could wait upon him at the White House as soon after March 4 as conveniently possible, and present the invitation, which is an elaborately engraved affair. Mr. Cleveland appointed March 6 at 1 p. m., as the time when he would receive the committee. Messrs. Smalley and Dickenson left town this evening.

There was a large gathering of New-Jersey politicians at the dinner to Governor Werts and his staff this evening. Mr. Cleveland was invited, but sent his regrets several days ago. None of the New-Jersey officials called upon Mr. Cleveland this evening.

Frederick Cook, ex-secretary of State of New York, came from New-York this evening and called upon Mr. Cleveland.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 24.—Henry T. Thurber, of this city, one of the law partners of Don M. Dickinson, received a telegram to-day offering him the appointment of private secretary to President-elect Cleveland. He has signified his intention to accept. The appointment came to Mr. Thurber without solicitation on the part of himself or his friends, and was extended in recognition of his admirable equipment for the office. Mr. Cleveland had known him for years, and made the selection as a result of thorough acquaintance with Mr. Thurber's qualities and attainments. He has been with Mr. Dickinson as a law student and partner for eighteen years, has accompa-

lated a moderate fortune and has a professional income of from \$10,000 to \$15,000 a year. The ties between the partners, Dickinson, Stevenson and the late Mr. Thurber, were of the nature of friendship, and when the telegram was received there was a consultation among them and an agreement that Mr. Thurber must go, and that his place for the firm should be kept for him, and all his interests at home preserved and protected in his absence.

When asked whether he could afford to go, he said: "After all, I have nothing. There is nothing to be considered except Mr. Cleveland's call. I hope he is not mistaken in his confidence in and judgment of me, but he thinks that I can serve him and I shall go. I would rather leave my children the record that he summoned me, that I accepted, and above all, that I did my best, than to leave them a great fortune."

Mr. Thurber is thirty-nine years old. His father was the late Jefferson G. Thurber, ex-speaker of the Michigan House, and for many years one of the prominent figures in the party in this state. He is a graduate of the University of Michigan, where he was a classmate and friend of the late ex-governor. He has been in constant acquaintance with public men throughout the country. He has visited England and the Continent frequently for the purpose of educational training. He is distinguished among those who know him for his high character and his high ability.

surroundings, his knowledge of and tact in his intercourse with all sorts and conditions of men, and his energy and clear-headedness in the management of his business.

Don M. Blockson, said: "My boys are a part of my life, and I would not give up either of them for anything. I have been a father for 25 years, and I have to trade. Mr. Stevenson and I have agreed to buckle to it and do Mr. Thurber's work as well as our own. Mr. Thurber always does everything well. He has a lot to say about it."

Mr. Thurber's wife is a granddaughter of the late John H. Hunt, who was a factor in the Civil war, and is one of the most accomplished and well-loved in Detroit society.

HOW MR. STEVENSON WILL GO TO WASHINGTON.

Bloomington, Ill., Feb. 24.—Arrangements are now complete for Vice-President-elect Stevenson's trip to the inauguration. He is to be the guest of the Illinois Democratic Club, of this city, which has been given complete charge of all affairs connected with his excursion. This club has chartered a Pullman sleeping car from Chicago to the White House, and will take Mr. Stevenson and his family to Chicago, and will take them from there to Washington via the Baltimore and Annapolis route. It will be composed of four Pullman sleeping cars, a baggage car, a dining car and Mr. Stevenson's private car. The party will be composed of Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson and their children, Louis G. Julia, Jr., and Mrs. Julia.

Mrs. Matthew T. Scott and daughter, Lottitia and Julia; Mrs. and Mr. John Simpson; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burn, Miss Blanch Barnett, of St. Louis, and Robert E. Williams, a former stevedore's old law partner, the train will leave Bloomington at 5 o'clock on Monday morning, and will arrive in Washington on Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

A STRUGGLE WITH A WOMAN BURGLAR.

MRS. COX AND HER SERVANTS SUCCEED IN MAKING HER A PRISONER.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hantou, a handsome woman, thirty years old, was arraigned in the Hadem Police Court yesterday afternoon on a charge of burglary, and was held by Justice Burke in \$500 bail for further examination. The woman gave her address as No. 1414 E. 4th. One hundred and twenty-seven persons here

The specific charge against the prisoner was that he had broken into the house, No. 262 West One-hundred-and-fifty street, yesterday morning. The place is occupied by Mrs. Margaret Cox, who takes boarders. About 11 o'clock Mrs. Roop, a seamstress, who lives in the house, went to her room, which is on the top floor of the house, and was startled to see a strange woman there with two bundles of clothing packed up and ready for removal. Two men were also in the room with her, but when Mrs.

Roop grappled with the woman the men ran down the stairs and made their escape. The woman struggled desperately to get away, and might have done so had not Mrs. Roop begun to scream for help. The cries alarmed Mrs. Cox and her servants. Together they rushed upstairs and joined in the struggle. The invader made a sturdy defence, but it was useless. He only resisted at the bottom of the stairs.

Policeman W. Mulford, who was called to the scene, placed the woman under arrest. In the bundles was found wearing apparel belonging to the boarders in the house. Expected to be sent to the boarders by a skivvied man in the pool. It was evidently the purpose of the invaders to draw the boarders up on the roof and remove the booty at their leisure.

FLED WITH HER HUSBAND'S COUSIN.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Feb. 24.—Mrs. Viola E. Herriman, wife of Dr. W. J. Herriman, a wealthy resident of Rochester, N. Y., was this morning arrested by the police here on the charge of kidnapping her husband, as his wife, Mrs. Herriman was a social leader in Rochester. Last October she left her home, ostensibly to go to Europe. At the same time Charles O. Herriman disappeared from Rochester. Dr. Herriman soon discovered that something was wrong, and, putting detectives to work, he learned that his wife and her husband had coupled off with Kansas City Wednesday before they went to Europe. He immediately petitioned for divorce and was served on Mrs. Herriman.

TO ILLUSTRATE THE RESSAIXANCE.

Boston, Feb. 24 (Special).—Another elaborate festival is being arranged by the Boston Art Students' Association. It will take place at the Museum of Fine Arts on the evening of April 5. The subject chosen for illustration is the Renaissance. The procession will, of course, be the event of the evening. The Art Students' Association will represent the arts and crafts of the Renaissance. The Tavern Club will also be present in a body to illustrate the trades of the time.